The Cherokee County Board of Supervisors met in regular session on Tuesday, August 27, 2019 with Dennis Bush, Rick Mongan, Gary Lundquist, Duane Mummert, and Wane Miller present. Steve Peterson, *Aurelia* Star, represented the press. William Gauthier, Nathan Corlew, Katelynn DeRoos, Tammy Carlson, Sarah Tracy, Jerod Clyde, Keva Wolf and Cindy Nelson were also in attendance. Unless otherwise indicated, all votes were offered as follows: Ayes – Lundquist, Bush, Mummert, Miller, Mongan; Nayes – none; Abstentions – Mummert.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Wane Miller, Veteran Affairs Commissioner.

Motion by Mummert, seconded by Bush to approve the agenda. Motion carried.

Motion by Lundquist, seconded by Mummert to approve the minutes of the previous meeting. Motion carried.

Motion by Bush, seconded by Lundquist to approve the claims for payment as presented. Motion carried. A complete listing is available for review in the County Auditor's office and online.

#### Claims Approved August 27, 2019:

Advanced Systems Inc	Serv	24.92
Alliant Energy	Serv	78.55
Alpha Wireless Mankato	Maint	281.20
Bargen Inc	Serv	152,926.07
Beck Engineering	Serv	18,340.00
Black Hawk County Sheriff	Fees	41.61
Blaine's Culligan	Supp	60.75
Bomgaars	Supp	335.87
Boothby Funeral Home	Serv	1,500.00
Brentwood Construction	Serv	600.00
Builders Sharpening & Serv	Parts	137.00
Campbell Supply Co	Parts	229.18
Carroll Construction Supply	Parts	100.80
CenturyLink Qwest	Serv	539.14
Champion Electric, Inc	Serv	56.16
Chase Card Service-Ink	Supp	1,131.38
Cherokee Collision Center	Serv	500.00
Cherokee County Sheriff	Fees	73.30
Cherokee County Treasurer	Prop Tax	2,338.00
Cherokee Depot	Rent	40.00
Cherokee State Bank	Flex/Self Fund	1,862.65
Cherokee MHI	Serv	102.62
Cherokee Regional Medical Ctr.	Health Serv	438.00
Cherokee State Bank	Supp	60.00
Chronicle Times	Publ	36.41
City of Cherokee	Serv	365.06
City of Marcus	Serv	196.87
CJ Cooper & Associates	Serv	70.00
Clay County Sheriff	Fee	43.00
CML Telephone Coop	Serv	225.99
Eric J. Comstock	Serv	4,209.35
Continental Fire Sprinkler Co.	Serv	125.00
Counsel	Serv	28.29
David Moore	Travel Reimb	96.30
Dearborn National Life Insur	Life Ins	974.01
Deer Valley Mechanical,Inc	Serv	522.00
Des Moines Stamp	Supp	32.40

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Joseph W Draper	Travel Reimb/Per Diem	213.80
Don Drefke	Per Diem	50.00
Fareway	Groceries	2.50
Fedders Marine & RV	Parts	359.34
FORCE America Distributing	Parts	3,208.60
William Gauthier	Travel Reimb/Per Diem	140.00
GovConnection, Inc.	Supp	79.54
GreatAmerica Financial Svcs	Serv	54.73
Hallett Materials	Gravel	3,992.79
Haselhoff Construction Inc	Serv	5,885.86
Holzhauer Motors LTD	Serv	1,031.00
Hopkins & Huebner, P.C.	Fees	382.50
Humboldt County Sheriff	Fees	46.00
I-State Truck Center	Parts	146.92
Ida County Sheriff	Fees	85.00
Iowa Lakes Electric Coop	Serv	3,177.00
IA Lakes Regional Water	Serv	288.29
Iowa Prison Industries	Parts	659.78
Iowa State Assoc of Counties	Dues/Regist	1,800.00
ISG Field Services LLC	Inspect Pipeline	5,818.19
Jacks Uniforms & Equipment	Clothing	146.79
Janitor's Closet, Ltd	Supp	182.16
Ryan R Kolpin	Dues	260.00
Lawson Products Inc	Parts	100.00
Loughlin Law Firm	Fees	75.00
Marcia R. McCarthy	Serv	29.00
Marco Technologies LLC	Serv	225.56
Martin Marietta Materials	Supp	1,428.65
Metal Culverts	Pipes	13,287.40
Mid American Energy	Serv	3,060.26
Mid-American Benefits, Inc.	Admin Fees	540.00
Midwest Wheel	Parts	531.60
Wane A Miller	Travel Reimb/Per Diem	95.00
Modern Heating & Cooling	Serv	1,601.61
Motor Parts Sales	Parts	1,008.18
Murphy Tractor & Equipment	Parts	3,045.52
Northside Tire	Serv/Parts	3,383.15
O'Halloran International	Serv/Parts	3,989.37
One Office Solution	Supp	762.99
Palo Alto County Sheriff	Fee	30.00
Michelle K. Pedersen	Per Diem	50.00
Petroleum Marketers	Tank Ins	1,866.00
PJ Greufe & Associates	Serv	1,500.00
Plymouth County Sheriff	Fees	99.80
Police Legal Sciences, Inc.	Serv	720.00
Prestox	Serv	121.00
Justin M Pritts		80.23
Rees Mack Sales & Service	Supp Parts	1,109.06
	Serv	35.74
Ricoh USA, Inc.		
Sanitary Services Inc	Serv	638.30

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Cindy Nelson, Deputy Treasurer, presented correspondence regarding tax suspension for an individual. Motion by Mummert, seconded by Miller to approve a property tax suspension for an individual per DHS guidelines on the following parcel: 90-01-33-458-003. Motion carried.

Sarah Tracy, County Engineer, presented right of way construction permits for consideration.

Motion by Miller, seconded by Lundquist to approve an underground construction on county right of way application for Cherokee Rural Water in Section 20 of Liberty Township. Motion carried.

Motion by Mummert, seconded by Bush to approve an underground construction on county right of way application for Nuvera in Sections 3 and 4 of Afton Township and Sections 14, 15, 16, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 32, 33, 34, 35 and 36 of Pitcher Township. Motion carried.

Sheila Letsche, rural Marcus resident, expressed concerns about grain trucks jake braking in front of her home at all hours of the day as they are traveling to and from the ethanol plant. The county engineer had placed signs prohibiting the use of jake brakes on that section of F Avenue three years ago, however, the signs are not regulatory and therefore cannot be enforced by law enforcement. Sarah Tracy, County Engineer, and Nick Patterson, Sign Foreman, are aware of the ongoing problem and will work with Letsche and the Sheriff's Department to determine possible solutions. Letsche asked if a reduced speed zone could be considered for that section of the road. The supervisors advised Letsche to stay in contact with the County Engineer and stated that the county will try to work through this problem.

Motion by Mummert, seconded by Miller to approve a separation of employment for Jacob Zwiefel, Conservation Seasonal Tech, effective August 16, 2019. Motion carried.

Motion by Lundquist, seconded by Bush to approve a separation of employment for James Leonard, Secondary Roads Seasonal Laborer, effective August 16, 2019. Motion carried.

Motion by Miller, seconded by Lundquist to approve a temporary alcohol permit for Zimmy's Bar & Grille, Storm Lake, for a private catering event held in rural Cherokee County with a five-day term expiring August 29, 2019. Motion carried with Mummert abstaining.

The supervisors provided committee reports and reviewed meeting schedules.

Mongan called for Comments from the	Public and none were offered	rom those in attendance.
There being no further business, Chair	nan Mongan adjourned the mee	eting at 9:32 a.m.
All board agendas and minutes are ava-	lable online at www.cherokeec	ountyiowa.com.
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Rick Mongan, Chairman	_ Attest:	Glienke, County Auditor